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AAHMES TEMPLE

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The Monthly Bulletin is issued so that the Nobility may keep informed on Temple affairs.

Nobles who have matters of interest to our members should submit them, typewritten if possible, to the Editor not later than the twentieth of the month preceding date of issue.

Address all communications to N. W. Armstrong. Editor, 297 Thirteenth Street, Oakland, Calif.

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POTENTATE'S PAGE

Our hearts are bowed down with grief over the passing of our beloved Recorder George Smith. His sudden taking was a great shock to us, but our memories of him are happy because of his unfailing good cheer.

For nine years, he gave his entire attention to the affairs of Aahmes Temple. His loyalty never wavered and he met every situation, no matter how vexing, with his happy smile. He is and will be long missed by us all.

Here is to your memory George.

The unforseen disaster has occurred, but you have gone where the rewards await the faithful. May you find the Garden of Allah, where you tent is now pitched, to

be covered with the verdure of love and the bloom of happiness. Farewell.

ES. SALAMU ALEIKUM,

Herbert H Whitworth

Potentate.

Office Hours at Headquarters—Monday and Friday evenings, 6:30 to 8:30 p. m.

Mail for personal attention of the Potentate should be addressed to "Room 803" at No. 225 Bush Street, San Francisco, Calif.

AAHMES NOTES

The massed bands of Aahmes Temple and Islam Temple played a concert at Islam Temple in San Francisco on Sunday, November 20. The two bands were originally scheduled to play at the Shriner's Childrens hospital at which time the Imperial Potentate, Clarence M. Dunbar visited that institution. However, heavy rains caused a change in program and the musicians staged their concert in Islam temple for the Imperial Potentate.

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Erne Smith, first civilian aviator to successfully fly from Oakland to Honolulu addressed the members of Aahmes on November 16. Smith was secured to attend the meeting and tell of his thrilling flight across the Pacific through the efforts of Noble Luther Michael, San Leandro dahlia king. Smith's talk was well received by the nobility and he received a "Big Hand" at the conclusion of his talk.

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Lieut. Noville one of the trans-Atlantic flyers who was on the program for November 18 was called to Washington by President Coolidge and was unable to fullfill his engagement at Aahmes. Noville will appear at another time according to Potentate Whitworth.

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"Get that Schoolboy Spirit" and attend the big football rally and bonfire on the old S. P. lot between Webster and Franklin streets on Wednesday evening, December 21. Noble Bill MacDonald is in charge of arrangements. The rally will follow the stated meeting.

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A large audience greeted Aahmes Chanters at their first concert of the 1927-28 season held in the auditorium of the Elks' building on Tuesday evening, November 29. Assisting artists were James Isherwood, baritone; Merrill Remington, Oboe; Bessie Beatty Rowland, Accompanist; Mrs. James Isherwood, Accompanist and Wm. Corlett, Flutist.

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1928 Dues must be paid before a member can vote at the January Election.

BOB ABERNETHY,
Potentate's Representative.

"THE FALL CEREMONIAL"

AT HEADQUARTERS, 13th and Harrison Streets

December 17th **Saturday Night**

"The Sands Will be Hot"

Get a Candidate

Attend *Wear Your Fez*

DECEMBER STATED MEETING

Wednesday Evening, December 21

UNVEILING OF PICTURE OF GEORGE H. SMITH
AND MEMORIAL SERVICES

FOOTBALL RALLY

Gigantic Bon-fire - - Snappy Stunts

HONORING COACH ANDY KERR
And His Eastern Football Team

Rally starts right after the close of December stated meeting.

Wear Your Fez

Watch Papers for Location

TICKETS FOR GAME FOR SALE AT CIGAR STAND IN CLUB ROOMS

AAHMES NOTES

In the absence of Illustrious Potentate Herbert W. Whitworth who was in Reno at the time of the last stated meeting, Ezra Decoto, Chief Rabban of Aahmes, presided. Noble Decoto is a splendid presiding officer. Noble Decoto is President of the California State Railroad Commission.

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The big Shrine dinner and entertainment at Santa Rosa will be held on January 7, being postponed on account of the death of Recorder George Smith who was one of the prime movers for the meeting of the North of Bay Counties shrine club at Santa Rosa.

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Reserve December 26 for the big East-West Shrine football game. This is the real big classic in sportdom. Stars from all parts of the United States will play on the rival teams. Kezer stadium in San Francisco will be the scene of the gridiron battle. And do not forget to wear you FEZ.

Don't fail to get tickets early.

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All those who are interested in a Snow Party Trip similar to last year to Tahoe and a visit to Reno, Kerak Temple, leaving Saturday A. M. and returning Monday by 8:30 A. M., please let me hear from you at once by mail.

EARL BROOKS,
Chairman Entertainment Committee.

AAHMES NOTES

Clarence M. Dunbar, Imperial Potentate of the Shrine likes California and especially Oakland. As he stepped off the fast mail train at the Sixteenth street depot he marveled at the bright sunshine that was prevalent. Walter Sugden, past potentate of Osisis Temple, Wheeling W. Va, was in the Imperial party. The visitors were escorted to Oakland from Reno, Nevada, by Illustrious Potentate Herbert W. Whitworth and were met at the station by Nobles George Smith, Bob Abernethy and Bob Lloyd. Most of the day was spent at the Sequoyah Country Club where Dunbar played golf with Potentate Whitworth. The reception and formal ball in the evening at the Hotel Oakland a very successful affair being attended by hundreds of nobles and their ladies. On behalf of Aahmes, Potentate Whitworth presented the Imperial Potentate with a camera so that pictures of his journey throughout the country might recall the pleasant memories of his travels.

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NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE

At the Temple Pavilion, 13th and Harrison Streets. The dress of a Shriner, Full Dress or Tuxedo and Fez, "Novelties". Hats for the Ladies. Noise Makers. No children.

EARL BROOKS,
Chairman Entertainment Committee.

IN MEMORIAM

George Henry Smith

1863-1927

PAST POTENTATES

Frank W. Bilger	1911-1912-1913
George S. Meredith	1914
Robert Greig	1915
*Ben O. Johnson	1916
J. Loran Pease	1917
B. A. Forsterer	1918-1919-1920
Lincoln S. Church	1921
Thomas W. Norris	1922
William J. McCracken	1923
Franklin R. Haley	1924
Volkert O. Lawrence	1925
Louis J. Breuner	1926
Fred Stein	Affiliated

(*Deceased)

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

Auditing	Kirby Tharp
Automobile	John Lloyd
Crippled Children's Hospital	Franklin R. Haley
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Entertainment	Robert Abernethy
General Reception	V. O. Lawrence
General Membership	George W. Nellis
House	Harry Miller
Publicity	Wm. I. Macdonald
Sunshine	Hugh L. Hagan
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Ways and Means	Louis Y. Hagan
Widows and Orphans	Francis L. Carson
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North Bay Co. Shrine Club	Chas. H. King
Stanislaus Co. Shrine Club	Geo. R. Stoddard
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Board of Control	Ezra W. Decoto
Keeper of the Fez	George P. Guyot
Official Photographer	Ford E. Samuel

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13TH AND HARRISON STS.

OPEN DAILY FROM 9 A.M. TO 12 P.M.

ALL NOBLES ARE INVITED TO
MAKE AAHMES THEIR CLUB

CLUB LUNCHEON 11 A.M. TO 2 P.M.

JOIN YOUR BROTHER NOBLES AT LUNCH AND PROMOTE THE FEELING OF GOOD FELLOWSHIP WHICH MAKES THE CLUB A GOOD PLACE TO BE.

STATED MEETINGS ARE HELD MONTHLY
EVERY THIRD WEDNESDAY AT
8 P.M. SHARP

VISITING NOBLES ARE ALWAYS WELCOME